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In re Application of:

Yuri A. Plotnikov et al.

: Group Art Unit: 2858

Application No. 10/727,401

: Examiner: J. Teresinski

Filed: December 3, 2003

: Response to Paper No. 20040609

For: PULSED EDDY CURRENT SENSOR
PROBES AND INSPECTION
TECHNIQUES

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.111

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SIR:

In response to the non-final Office Action dated June 17, 2004, Applicants respectfully request that the above-identified application be amended as follows.

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated as shown below.

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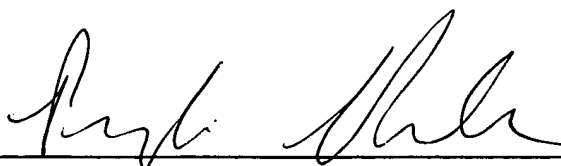
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